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For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING AN INTEGRATED EDGE
STRUCTURE FOR HIGH VOLTAGE SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES,
AND RELATED INTEGRATED EDGE STRUCTURE
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NOTICE OF APPEAL
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated July 14, 2003 rejecting claims 13-23, 25-27, and 33-38.

The Appeal Fee of \$330.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R.1.17(b) is enclosed. If the fee is insufficient, the balance may be charged to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

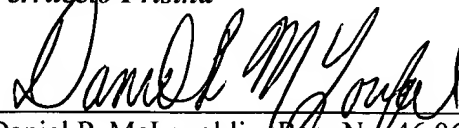
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